



ALEXANDRIA, VA.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 1874

The result of the election in North Carolina was a great Democratic victory. The majority is estimated at from ten to twenty thousand, and the Democrats elect seven out of the eight Congressmen. Two years ago the Radicals carried the State by two thousand, returning four Congressmen; and in November they gave Grant twenty-five thousand majority over Greeley. The county elections in Tennessee indicate heavy Democratic gains in all parts of the State, many of the Radicals voting the Democratic ticket on account of the issue being made on the Civil Rights bill.

President Grant has written a letter to Gov. Oglesby, of Illinois, declining to deliver the dedicatory address at the inauguration of the Lincoln Monument, at Springfield, on the 15th of October. He says that placing himself in such a position would be so foreign to his usual wont that he feels himself unequal to the task. He hopes that the association will select some man to deliver the address who will meet the expectations of the nation, and who can do justice to the memory of the man in whose honor the monument is erected.

Col. Wm. Lamb, ex-Mayor of Norfolk, whose death has been announced, when the Confederates evacuated Norfolk in 1862, was left to surrender the city to General Wool, which he did with dignity and grace. He was seized and imprisoned subsequently by order of General Butler and sent to Old Point, for refusing to divulge the place of secession of the city. Since an old relic; that still is sacred to the city as an heirloom of the past.

The misfortune of crime has no more gloomy illustration than in the case of the Walworth paricide—the father shot by his son, the mother dying in a few brief months of grief and a broken heart, and now the murderer of his father a hopeless maniac. From happiness, affluence, and respectability to disgrace, misery, and worse than death.

A telegram from Paris says that the attitude of the Spanish representatives there is most conciliatory, and the difficulties with Spain are at an end. Senor Castelar is expected at Versailles, charged with the mission of negotiating for the recognition of the Republic of Spain.

Mr. Ferdinand Bodman, a wealthy tobaccoist of Cincinnati, Ohio, died in that city on Wednesday. His estate is worth \$2,000,000, and is willed to his family, consisting of three sons and one daughter.

It is proposed to hold a public meeting at Woodstock on Monday next, Court-day, to appoint delegates to represent the county of Shenandoah in the Railroad Convention of the Valley counties at Staunton.

Goldsmith Maid trotted at Buffalo, yesterday, and the official report makes her time 2:15. If this is correct it is the fastest mile ever done by a trotting horse.

The Congressional Naval Committee arrived at Philadelphia yesterday, and inspected the navy yard. In the evening they left for New York, and will continue thence to Boston.

The residence of William M. Tweed, corner of Forty-second street and Fifth Avenue, New York, was sold at auction, by the referee, yesterday for \$195,000.

The Petersburg News suggests that mothers should be very careful how they have children in these days. They might be stolen.

We have received a pamphlet setting forth the advantages of Indianapolis as a place favorable for manufactures, commerce and business interests of all kinds, all of which and many more are possessed by Alexandria.

The Beecher-Tilton Scandal.—The Brooklyn Eagle publishes an interview with Henry C. Bowen, who is represented as saying of the Beecher-Tilton case, that the entire business has caused him much pain! Being asked if Beecher ever did him an injury, Bowen said: "I could construe his course unkindly. As to Tilton, Bowen said he did not care which way it went with him."

The Ithica, N. Y., Journal contains four columns of an interview with Frank B. Carpenter. Speaking of Mrs. Tilton's published cross examination he said: "I read her statement through carefully, and can truly say that it was as surprising and incredible to me as the stories in the 'Arabian Nights,' or 'John Locke's Discoveries in the Moon.' Nothing I ever saw during my visits or in my acquaintance with Mr. or Mrs. Tilton makes it even supposable that such a state of things existed or could exist. Until this trouble came I was accustomed to think of them as exceptionally happy and devoted to each other."

At the request of the Beecher investigating committee the appearance of Mr. Moulton before the committee and the presentation of his statement have been postponed until 3 o'clock Monday afternoon next.

VIRGINIA PORCELAIN AND TERRA COTTA CO.—We learn from a gentleman just from the seat of these works that the brick and tile machines recently imported by this company from England, together with a new engine, are being rapidly put up, and that it is expected that operations will be commenced in about a month. It is also stated that the company have in contemplation connecting the works by tramway with the C. & O. R. R. at Waynesboro.—*Staunton Vindicator.*

CHINCH BUG.—We are pleased to learn from an intelligent farmer that the corn crop has not been materially injured by this destructive insect. It is said to be rarely the case that more than a few acres are destroyed by them on one plantation, and our informant expresses the opinion that no apprehension of serious damage to corn from this source need ever be felt.—*Charlottesville Chronicle.*

NEWS OF THE DAY

"To show the very age and body of the Times"

About 5,000 persons, mostly from Boston, Providence and other parts of New England, were attracted to the race at Oakland Beach on Thursday between the champion oarsmen of America. The contestants were John Biglin, of New York; Evan Morris, of Pittsburgh; and James Ten Eyck, of Peckskill. The race proved an exciting one, and was over a course one mile long four times. Morris won in 27 minutes 14 1/2 seconds; Biglin came in 17 1/2 seconds later.

Representatives of various Mutual Protection Associations in Ohio, organized under the law of April 20, 1872, for doing co-operation insurance business, met in Columbus yesterday to consult as to their future action, in view of the recent decision of the Attorney General as to the legal status of these organizations. The meeting resolved to make a contest to sustain their position, and continue to do business.

Yesterday morning a respectable young butcher of Baltimore named George Riley, approached Mr. W. D. McKelroy, a cracker dealer, as he was standing in the Belair Market, and fired at him from his revolver. Riley was promptly arrested, and placed under bonds for his appearance before a Justice this afternoon.

It was reported in New York city, yesterday that the State, having failed to get three million dollars of the new five awarded to the Syndicate, is investing in ten-forties. During Thursday and yesterday, a million and a quarter of ten-forties were quietly bought, it was thought for the State.

A Child Buried Alive.

[Correspondence of the Richmond Enquirer.] **LOUISIANA COUNTY, Aug. 5.**—Yesterday a young man named Dickinson, while hunting in the forest adjacent to the upper waters of the "Newfound," in the lower end of Louisiana, heard the scream of an infant. He proceeded to the spot from whence the noise emanated, and on reaching the place he found an infant, apparently not more than a few hours old, partially buried, and shrouded in an old flat bonnet. The supposition is, that the burial would have been much more complete and effectual, but the sound of approaching footsteps and the scream of the infant deterred the fiend from the complete performance of his diabolical deed. The child was taken up and carried to a neighboring house, where it was washed and provided with a wet nurse, and is doing well. Every effort is being made to get some clue or information to this atrocious crime, and the county officials, who are on the trail, will no doubt ere the setting of another sun have the information they need. The child has white parents.

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY ITEMS.—[From the Manassas Gazette.]—At the last meeting of the Council of Manassas it was voted that each taxpayer setting out shade trees in the street in front of his land should be allowed 50 cents for each tree, to be deducted out of the road tax of said taxpayer, provided that said trees are set out before December 1st, 1874. A Policeman Jas. M. Chancy, from Manassas, has been to Manassas, and after having had several men placed in the cell with Atchison, went in himself, looking sternly at each one, and decided that neither was the man he saw with Herndon's horses at a lively stable in Baltimore.

Owing to the scarcity of water and the prevalence of the prevailing drought, persons from Manassas, in many cases, are obliged to seek the historic streams of Broad and Bull runs for water wherewith to wash.

Last Sunday, as Mr. Arthur Woodyard's eldest son, a boy of 13 years, was wrestling with another boy of the same age, he fell to the ground, dislocating his arm at the elbow. Mr. Geo. W. Hixson is about to commence the erection of a large building on his lot, corner of Main and Battle streets, at Manassas, which will be used as a town hall and for any amusements which may occur.

The expected hurdle race at Gainesville has been postponed until the 20th inst.

FAIRFAX COUNTY ITEMS.—[From the Fairfax News.]—On Tuesday night of this week, when the eight o'clock train from Alexandria was nearing Springfield Station, some malicious person threw a large stone at the cars, which struck a window with such violence as to smash the glass and badly fracture the frame just by the seat occupied by Mr. E. Ford, a cadet of the Virginia Military Institute, whose hand and face were smartly cut by flying fragments of glass, causing quite a flow of blood. The treasury is again in working order, and our polite and accommodating treasurer, Maj. John H. Chichester, is promptly paying off all orders properly drawn upon him, and this he will continue to do, so long as the funds now in his possession hold out. Our people will find no delay or unpleasantness in transacting business with the present treasurer.

Rain is much wanted here. Gardens are more indifferent than they have been for years past. The growing corn is suffering and the pastures are losing their verdure.

There will be a tournament and picnic at Centreville, next Thursday.

ORANGE COUNTY ITEMS.—[From the Piedmont Virginian.]—About half-past two o'clock on Wednesday morning last the smoke house and kitchen of the County Clerk, P. H. Fry, were burned to the ground with nearly all their contents. The dwelling house, which was in close proximity, was saved by the energetic efforts of our citizens. The loss to Mr. Fry is about one thousand dollars and no insurance. How the fire originated is not known, but is supposed to have been accidental.

On Friday last a barbecue came off near this place, where everything good for the inner man were served up in real old Virginia style. We hear that Maj. Taylor's crop of Fultz wheat on his meadow farm yielded 14 bushels for 1 and his wife 12 for 1.

It is said that the watermelon crop on the Rapidan and Robinson rivers is very good this season.

The ladies of Orange will hold a fair on the 24th of this month, for the benefit of the Baptist church.

CULPEPER ITEMS.—[From the Culpeper Times.]—Judge Bell has made the following appointments: Wm. D. Colvin to be Collector for Cedar Mountain Township, in place of John G. Lemon, who failed to qualify according to law. W. C. Petty to be Magistrate for Cedar Mountain Township, vice Dr. A. W. Estridge, who failed to qualify.

A large quantity of wood piled on one side of the railroad, about one mile and a half from town, was, it is thought, set on fire by the down train on Sunday afternoon. About seventy-five cords were destroyed.

A negro man by the name of Jarret Powell, was brought from Orange, Co., and confined in jail at this place, for stealing away from her parents a little colored girl under twelve years of age. The law makes it a felony.

A SINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCE.—Several weeks ago a family residing near Liberty Mills, Orange county, Va., arose early in the morning and prepared breakfast, using the tea-kettle in which to heat water for coffee. The family drank of the coffee, as usual, and without any injurious effect. Towards noon some one, in attempting to use the kettle for another purpose, found in it a considerable sized black snake, boiled to death in the water which had been used for the coffee in the morning. On this announcement, there was a considerable consternation in the family for a short time; some vomited and others tried to do so, but failed. Strange to say, no one was otherwise injured.—*Shenandoah Valley.*

Message from the Queen.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—Parliament was prorogued today by a message from the Queen, which was read by royal commission. Her Majesty thanks both Houses for voting the annual grant to Prince Leopold. She states that relations with all foreign Powers are friendly. She explains that England is represented in the Brussels Conference, but has stipulated there shall be no change in the recognized rules of international law, and that no restrictions shall be placed upon the conduct of naval operations, and reserves the right to accept or reject the recommendations of the Conference.

The message further says negotiations have been undertaken for a renewal of the reciprocity treaty formerly existing between Canada and the United States. The negotiations commenced by the desire and the interest of Canada have been temporarily suspended by the adjournment of the American Senate. They will be revived soon, and she hopes will lead to an increase of commercial intercourse between the two countries.

She says: "I deeply lament the condition of Spain, and whilst earnestly desiring a restoration of peace and order in that country, consider non-interference as most conducive thereto."

A treaty has been concluded with the Sultan of Zanzibar, providing for the gradual stopping of the slave traffic. I am thankful that the famine in India has not been attended with much mortality; which is due to timely precautions and measures taken by my Government.

The Gold Coast is being gradually pacified and reorganized, and the King of Ashantee is discharging his obligations.

The message proceeds to congratulate Parliament upon its wisdom and expresses pleasure because of the reduction of taxation; at the passage of the Factory act, by which the health of women and children will be promoted; at the passage of the act reforming Church patronage in Scotland, which will conduce to the religious welfare of the people because it removes a cause of controversy; and at the passage of the Public Worship Regulation bill, which will settle the form of worship of the Established Church.

The message also mentions other measures of minor importance which may be expected to be productive of good, and concludes by invoking the blessings of the Almighty upon members in the discharge of their duties.

THE INSANE.—There has been great difficulty in procuring reliable figures as to the number of insane in Virginia outside of the Asylum, the census being very erroneous, and the officers of the Western Lunatic Asylum are making an effort in another direction, in order to secure the information so much needed by the Legislature, in order that it may act with due regard to the interests of the State and the welfare of these unfortunate. The plan is to get from every physician in the State the number within his knowledge, upon a carefully prepared schedule sent to them. As both the Asylums are crowded now; with many applicants ahead, and many others at home or in jails, we trust the Physicians throughout the State will promptly respond and thus enable reliable data to be laid before the General Assembly at its next session, in the interest of the unfortunates of Virginia.—*Staunton Vindicator.*

A BABY FARM IN RICHMOND.—Officer Keegan, Wednesday night, upon visiting the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Jeter and Polly Brooks, on Main street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third, discovered there two babies, both girls, one about six months, and the other about ten days old. It was, of course, known that neither of the women had any title to the children. Mrs. Jeter refuses to give any information concerning the parentage of the children, but stated that they were brought there and kept by her to save them from death at the hands of certain parties, whose names she withheld. The matter has been brought to the attention of Police Justice White, who proposes to send the children to the Almshouse to be kept until called for by those who have the right to claim them, or until some other home can be provided.—*Rick Dispatch.*

THE FREEDMAN'S SAVINGS BANK.—The Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune says: "The Commissioners of the Freedman's Bank are not having as smooth a time as they anticipated. Not many days ago they directed the sub-agencies in all the States to transmit what funds they had on hand to the parent bank here, with a view to accumulating the assets and declare a pro rata dividend. The responses came in slowly. In many instances the Commissioners have been informed that the depositors in the cities where the sub-agencies are located are unwilling that the funds should be sent to Washington. This new trouble only adds to the complications of the suspended bank, and may delay, not only dividends, but an actual knowledge of the condition of the institution for many weeks to come."

SCALPED BY INDIANS.—Mr. John H. Francisco, of Spanish Peaks, Colorado, formerly of Staunton, son of C. C. Francisco, esq., in a letter home, tells of a lucky escape made by himself and companions about the middle of last month. A considerable party started from Colorado for New Mexico, and on the route Francisco and a few others happened to fall behind the rest about a day. On coming up to their camp of the night before, to their utter astonishment and horror, they found the whole of them, fifteen in number, killed and scalped. Among those killed was Mr. Frank Conner, who Mr. Francisco says is from Woodstock, Va., where he thinks his mother resides. The fortunate delay of Francisco and his party alone saved their scalps.—*Staunton Vindicator.*

Tobacco.—Nine wagons on their return from town stopped here to feed and buy goods. The whole lot of tobacco carried in the 9 wagons sold for an average of \$12 per hundred; much sold for \$20 and over. For the past three weeks planters have been making large hauls on the money vaults of Lynchburg, and still the tobacco is going in in large quantities, notwithstanding it was said the crop was nearly exhausted several weeks ago.—*Amherst Enterprise.*

A PROFITABLE YIELD.—Mr. Hugh F. Turk, residing on the old Scott farm on Christian's Creek, near Mt. Spring, sowed five bushels of barley on two and one-half acres of ground, from which he reaped the profitable yield of one hundred and three bushels. He sold twelve bushels, which on being weighed proved to be fourteen bushels and seventeen pounds, for which he received one dollar per bushel.—*Staunton Vindicator.*

[COMMUNICATED.]

Mirage.—In noticing a "Remarkable Phenomenon" in the Gazette of the 31st inst., permit the writer to say that it was also seen in this city, with countless moving figures, constantly changing places, apparently. One seen more distinctly than another was the likeness of the late Wm. C. Norris, formerly of Warrenton, now dead some four years. On the plains of South America, and especially in the region called the "Banda Oriental," i. e., Eastern Belt, this phenomenon is often seen, reflecting objects, not near, but at distances of fifty to one hundred miles, and is known as Mirage, a French word, and is in reality a mirror of nature, caused by atmospheric differences of damp and dry. It is often observed at sea, and has always, until seen on land, been supposed to be a reflection from the water. The writer thought this statement might be of interest to incredulous persons in or about "Backland."

Yours, &c., R. L. M.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 7, 1874.

Letter from Lexington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] **LEXINGTON, VA., Aug. 6.**—The usual quiet of our almost inaccessible town has recently been disturbed by the following paragraph which appeared in the editorial column of the Gazette of the 31st:

"A letter from Lexington states that typhoid fever has appeared in that community in epidemic form. Twenty-seven cases are reported in that town. The disease has spread very rapidly in the last week."

Your informant is certainly very greatly in error, both as to the number of cases and the nature of the disease. After a careful inquiry I have only been able to hear of about five cases, two of which proved fatal, and none of which have appeared during the past week.

On last Friday week one of the young ladies of the town, whilst out riding, was thrown from her horse and stunned. She remained unconscious until the following Wednesday, but has now almost entirely recovered.

The corps of cadets are encamped upon the hill slope in front of the institute, and are required to perform the usual military and academic duties. They will not be allowed to move into the barracks until all the rooms shall have been repainted and refitted. Between twenty and thirty new cadets have already reported, and each day swells the number. The prospect for a full school next session are considered very flattering indeed. The admirable system of lazaret, although never as fully as it was represented and thought to be, (I speak from personal experience,) has been abolished, and the rat has now no longer the privilege and pleasure of stinging, dancing, or whistling for his five minutes, in order to see the others take their turn upon the table.

The farmers are still clamorous for rain, although we had several heavy and refreshing showers in the early part of last week.

Fruit of all kinds is very scarce, and vegetables have to be engaged several days before hand.

The crops have not yet been heard from.

Our only merchant of the Jewish persuasion will be sold out by the Sheriff next week.

The Presbyterian congregation are making extensive and needed repairs upon their house of worship preparatory to their filling the vacancy in their pastorate, caused by the resignation of the Rev. J. W. Pratt, D. D.

The work upon the Valley Railroad is progressing slowly, but not so fast as our people would be glad to see it. The bridge over the river at this point will be ninety-seven feet above the level of the water.

There are no cases of sickness amongst any of the cadets or students. One of last year's graduates has been very ill, but is now recovering. He was quarantined in the Virginia Military Institute hospital.

A pestiferous colored politician in Lynchburg has been convicted of forgery and sentenced to the penitentiary for four years.

FOR RENT OR SALE.

KING STREET PROPERTY.—In one of the BEST LOCATIONS IN THE CITY, FOR SALE OR RENT ON EASY TERMS. STONE HOUSE No. 15 King street, running back and opening on Market Alley.

This property is in good repair, having been lately painted, and has a new roof. The title is unquestionable. Inquire of R. L. WOOD, No. 62 King st., or Messrs. GREEN & WISE, Land Agents, Mansion House, Alexandria, Va. jy 30-1m

FOR RENT—

THE CENTRAL HOTEL.—Corner Bridge and Jefferson streets, Lynchburg, Va. Convenient to all the railroad depots, packet landings and business centers. Has been recently fitted up with all modern improvements, water, gas, &c. Is furnished throughout. Will be leased on moderate terms. Apply to W. M. T. McCOMB, Alexandria, Va. jy 30-2w

FOR RENT—A TWO-STORY BRICK

HOUSE, containing nine rooms, in addition to stable, cow lot and other necessary out-buildings, it has a convenient summer kitchen. The lot attached is large enough for a nice garden. The property is in West End, within one minute's walk of the street railroad. Apply to J. H. WATKINS, jy 30-2w

LOOK AT THIS!

ONE OF THE BEST BUSINESS STANDS IN THE CITY FOR RENT. Situated on the corner of Duke and Henry streets, opposite the Virginia Millinery Co. It is suitable for any business—hotel, restaurant or store; gas, water and every modern convenience will be rented to a good tenant at a low price. Enquire of M. NORMILE, jy 18-4f

FOR RENT—THE BRICK STORE-

HOUSE corner King and Lee streets, now occupied by E. Francis. Apply to Mrs. THOS. SMITH, jy 15-1m

FOR SALE—DWELLING AND LOT

No. 127 Cameron street. Possession given September 1st. For further particulars address W. J. MARTIN, 201 Baltimore st. jy 8-1m

FOR RENT—THE LARGE BRICK

BUILDING 117 Queen street; suitable for a first class boarding school or boarding house, institutions which are greatly needed in this city; or it will be rented as two residences, to which a second entrance can be effected if desired, making distinct dwellings. Apply on the premises, or address P. O. box 111, Alexandria, Virginia. jy 7-1m

FOR RENT—THE HOUSE No. 96 KING

street, now occupied by S. Lindhorst. Possession given on the 1st day of July, 1874. Apply to LOUIS APTICH, No. 175 King st. my 4-40f

FOR RENT—HOUSE, on Payne street,

between Duke and Prince; 11 rooms, water and gas; now occupied by Mr. Lanten. Possession given on the 15th day of March. For further particulars enquire of SAMUEL H. LUNT, mh 4 N. E. cor. King and Washington sts.

FOR RENT—THE DWELLING on the

corner of Duke and Fairfax streets, formerly occupied by Dr. Murphy. Apply to R. BELL, Jr. feb 28-1f

FOR RENT—THE STORE AND DWEL-

LING HOUSE 125 King street, now occupied by Mrs. C. L. Simpson. Possession given on the 1st of January, 1874. For further information enquire of JNO. B. SMOOT, feb 6-4f

HAIR, Tooth, Nail, Cloth, Hat, Shoe and

Paint BRUSHES—A carefully selected stock of the above can be seen at 107 King st. jy 25 HENRY COOK & CO.

GORDONVILLE BROOMS.

Three-string Hurl and four-string do. of this make just received by jy 13 CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.

SELLING OFF AT COST previous to re-

moval to 96 King street. aug 4 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

BARGAINS AT FERGUSON'S HAIR

DEPOT previous to removal to 96 King street. aug 4

LODGING FOR GENTLEMEN in a very

desirable location. For further particulars address P. O. box No. 144 jy 13

10 BLS. PURE APPLE VINEGAR on

hand and for sale by jy 23 DAVY & HARMON.

SOZODONT FOR THE TEETH received

this day by HENRY COOK & CO., jy 27 107 King street.

A FRESH LOT OF SARDINES, halves

and quarters received this day and for sale by W. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. aug 6

TAYLOR'S WELL-MADE BROOMS and

WHISK in store and for sale at 147 King street. aug 6 W. F. BROOKES.

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, August 8.—Wheat is arriving freely, the offerings to-day being larger than for some time past, and the market is active for the better qualities, though at a slight decline; offerings to-day of 5655 bushels with sales of white at 116 and 133 for fair and strictly prime samples, and red at 123, 125 and 130 for medium to good, 133 and 135 for prime, and 138 for a choice lot. Corn is in light receipt, and the market is firm at a further advance; offerings of 965 bushels mixed, with sales at 96. Oats are dull and lower; offerings of 744 bushels, with sales at 45, 48, 51 and 52.

COAL REPORT.—The following is a report of the receipts and shipments of coal during the week ending to-day:

RECEIPTS.	Tons.
American Coal Co.	1,038
Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.	1,750
J. P. Agnew	1,138
Total	2,926
SHIPMENTS.	Tons.
American Coal Co.	4,133
Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.	1,676
J. P. Agnew	820
Total	6,629

RAILROAD RECEIPTS.—The following are the receipts by the W. C. V. M. & G. S. R. R. for the past week:

Corn 1255 bushels, wheat 11,000, rye 115, oats 3875, timothy seed 35, mill feed 250, potatoes 101, onions 45, ground sugar 22,240 lbs, ground beef 1720 lbs, wool 1075 lbs, iron bark 12 cars, apples 10 bbls, anneal 1075 lbs, iron bark 12 cars, hides 6 bundles, roots 4 sacks, calves, &c., 50 head, hay 81 bales, iron and brass 1645 lbs to beco 154 boxes, brandy 2 bbls, fowls 10 coops, butter 17 bbls, eggs 19 bbls and boxes, lumb 20,000 feet, leather 12 rolls, pig iron 180,840 lbs, sheep skin 3 bales, calf skin 3 bales, empty cases 32, cattle and sheep 9 cars.

The following were the receipts by the W. & O. R. R. during the past week:

Wheat 5071 bushels, corn 2762, oats 814, rye 60, mill feed 84, onions 19 bags, flour 7 bbls, eggs 36 bbls and boxes, butter 44 bbls and kegs, beefs 31 coops, calves 39, rags 17 bags, wool 20 bags and bales, peaches 16 boxes, apples 9 bbls, plows 5, castings 3000 lbs, sunace 13,182 lbs.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 8.

Sun rose.....5 9 | Moon rose.....1 7
Sun sets.....7 0 | High water.....0 00

ARRIVED.—Steamer Georgetown, Baltimore, to Hooe & Johnston. She reports passing five steamers bound up, between Maryland and Ragged Bites. Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F. A. Reed.

Schr A. W. Smith, Georgetown, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.
Schr Rosalia H. Rose, Boston, to Lindsay & Brother.

Schr A. T. Cole, Philadelphia, to William A. Smoot.

Schr Calvin, Kempt, to W. A. Smoot.

SAILED.

Steamer George H. Stout, Philadelphia, to F. A. Reed.

Steamer Pilot Boat, Curriamian, by F. A. Reed.

Schr E. Deibert, Boston, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.

Schr Ellen Tobin, Providence, by American Coal Co.

Schr Maria Pierson, Providence, by American Coal Co.

Schr S. & E. Harrington, Philadelphia, by Mohall & Co.

Schr Lemuel Hall, hence, at New Bedford 4th.

Schr Thos. N. Stone and Abby Dunn, hence, at Boston 6th.

READY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

GREEN'S NOT